

The Bulletin.

J. SCHLESINGER,
Corner Eighth Street and Ohio Levee,
Under the new building, informs the people
of Cairo that he has purchased and refitted in
the most thorough manner the

Picture Gallery
of J. O. Bagwell, making it one of the most com-
plete in the West. He is now prepared to do all
kinds of work in this line, from the SMALLEST
MINIATURE TO LIFE-SIZE PORTRAITS. He
makes the new

REMANANT PICTURE,
in the most approved style. The best kind of
pictures taken in cloudy weather. Children
pictures taken in three to four seconds. Old pic-
tures copied and enlarged. Come one, come all
and see his specimens. dec29-11

NEWS OF THE CITY.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

New Time Table.
On and after 12:30 p.m., Sunday, Dec.
4th, the following time table will govern
the arrival and departure of passenger
trains at Cairo:

DEPART.
Mail train leaves at..... 3:40 a.m.
Express, " " at..... 3:30 p.m.
St. Louis and Cairo Express
leaves at..... 1:20 a.m.
Accommodation leaves at..... 12:30 p.m.

ARRIVE.
Mail arrives..... 2:05 a.m.
Express arrives..... 12:24 p.m.
St. Louis and Cairo Express
arrives..... 4:45 p.m.

The last named train leaves St. Louis at
10:30 a.m. Trains can leave Cairo at 1:20
a.m., reach St. Louis at 12:30 a.m., remain
in the city three hours, and return to
Cairo at 4:45 p.m., the same day.

The 12:30 accommodation and Cairo and
St. Louis express leave daily; all others
leave only on Sundays.

Way passengers should bear in mind that
the 3:30 p.m. train makes only four stop-
pings between Cairo and Centralia, viz:
Jonesboro, Carbondale, Du Quoin and
Ashley. The 12:30 p.m. train stops at all
stations along the route.

JAS. JOHNSON,
Agent, Cairo.

P. Saur and John Gates are putting up
their own ice. They obtain excellent ice
from the Mississippi.

A large stock of furnishing goods of all
kinds always on hand at P. Neff's, No. 79
Ohio Levee. dec29

The Silver Cornet band give a balcony
concert in front of the Athenaeum every
evening at 7 o'clock, by way of signaliz-
ing the opening of the theater.

For pistols and cartridges and bowie
knives, go direct to P. Neff's, No. 79 Ohio
Levee. dec29

Flour.—Choice Family Flour in bbls
half bbls, sacks, &c., for sale at the Egyp-
tian Mills. au

For fashionable boots and shoes, made
in the best style, and of the best material,
go to the shop of Wm. Ehlers, on Twen-
tieth street, near the court house. if

JOHN SACKBENGER is filling his cellar
with ice. He obtains the ice from the
chute on the Mississippi side of the city.
It is of a hard, dirty character, remarkably
pure for Mississippi ice, and about five or
six inches thick.

The choir of the Episcopal church, ac-
companied by several citizens, left for
Mound City, by the afternoon train. The
choir will give a concert there to-night, for
the benefit of the Episcopal church of that
city.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—300 wood
choppers to cut wood on the line of the St.
Louis & Iron Mountain railroad. Half
fare tickets furnished at the ticket office in
St. Louis. Wages \$1.20 per cord. Apply
at the various wood yards, or to
nov30tf. H. J. DEAL, Charleston, Mo.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Staniel
will be attended in the Presbyterian
church, Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, in
time for the body to be taken to Villa
Ridge by the 12 o'clock train.

Nowhere in the city can you secure a
better fitting, finer or better made pair of
boots than at the shop of Wm. Ehlers, on
Twentieth street, near the court house. if

Lost.—On Washington avenue, between
Sixth and Fourteenth streets, or in the
Church of the Redeemer, on the evening
of the 28th inst., A CHILD'S GOLD
BRACELET. The finder will be rewar-
ded by leaving it at this office.

We desire to remind the reader that
fresh Baltimore oysters and all kind of
game in season, are served night or day,
any style desired, at Louis Herbert's
restaurant.

Parties desiring oysters by the can or
case, can be supplied at the ruling rates, at
the same place. if

I. O. O. F.—The members of Al-
exander Lodge No. 224, I. O. O. F., are
requested to attend the regular meeting
of the Lodge this (Thursday) evening,
at seven o'clock.

The election of officers for the ensuing
term will take place this evening.

E. A. BURNETT, N. G.

If you want a good, stylish and well-
fitting suit of clothes, made to order, you
must go to P. Neff's, No. 79 Ohio Levee.
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If you want a pair of boots made to or-
der, out of the best material, and in the
most fashionable and durable manner, go
to Wm. Ehlers, on Twentieth street, op-
posite the court house. if

ADELIN PHILLIPS, with all the need-
ful orchestral support, will visit Cairo, for
one night only, on the 10th of January.
The mere announcement of this fact will
fill the Athenaeum to overflowing. More,
anon.

ELECTION NOTICE.—Notice is hereby
given that there will be a meeting of the
stockholders of the City National Bank on
Tuesday, January 10th, 1871, for the pur-
pose of electing seven Directors to serve
during the ensuing year.
dec10td A. B. SAFFORD, Cash.

The death of Mrs. Quince Staniel is an-
nounced in another column. Mr. and
Mrs. Staniel were raised in Cairo. While
he has ever been known as an honest hard-
working man, no one ever spoke of her as
other than an exemplary woman—a faith-
ful wife and a christian mother.

MAYOR WILSON, who is also member of
the State Board of Equalization, has our
thanks for a copy of the report of the pro-
ceedings of the last meeting of the Board.
Mr. Wilson was a hard worker for the
interests of the district he represented, and
the result shows that he was efficient as
well as industrious.

The teachers and friends of the Mission
Sabbath school have provided a treat for
the scholars in the way of a festival and
supper. The tables, already spread in the
Christian church, present a tempting ap-
pearance, and the wealth of good things
that burden them will do but be heartily
enjoyed by the little ones, and not, by any
means, be despised by persons of mature
growth.

Mrs. GAFNEY has taken the house on
the corner of Fourth street and Washing-
ton avenue, and will open the same on Fri-
day evening with a ball, to which she cor-
dially invites all her friends, male and fe-
male. We hope this friendly meeting will
be a generous response. Good music, good
order and a good time may be expected.
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The law card of Linegar, Munn and
Pope is published in another column of
this paper. It is scarcely necessary to
commend the firm as attorneys and solici-
tors of ability, as they are already well
known as old and successful practitioners
alike in this and all the adjoining circuits.
We refer to them as gentlemen entirely
worthy of the patronage of all who require
the services of skilled lawyers or faithful
collectors.

The irrepressible Capt. Henry Brown
("not Brown, mind you") is now in com-
mand of the Cincinnati and Memphis
steamer Alice Dean—"the boat with a cal-
lipo and circus on the wheel house." The
Captain is "a fellow of infinite jest,"
big hearted as all out doors, and, withal,
one of the most popular and successful
steamboatmen on the Western waters. He
is now in this city, his boat occupying the
fine ice harbor below "Fort Cairo."

WILLIAM EHLERS, fashionable boot and
shoe maker, has a splendid stock of French
calf, morocco and other leathers, and is
prepared to fill orders for "custom-made"
boots and shoes, with quick dispatch and
in the most satisfactory manner. if

D. LAMBERT, Ohio Levee, between
Eighth and Tenth streets, has enlarged
and improved his shaving and hair-cutting
saloon and is prepared to shave custom-
ers in first class style.

Clean towels, sharp razors and courteous
attention are among the attractions of the
tablism ent. if

TABER BROTHERS, 83 Ohio Levee, will
hereafter keep constantly on hand, direct
from the Eastern manufacturers the very
best winter strained purified sperm oil, for
sewing machines, and all fine and light
machinery. This oil has never yet been
superceded by any of the manufactured
oils, as it never gums or is affected by the
weather. dec29tf

PERSONAL TAXES.—Parties delinquent
for personal city taxes, are hereby notified
that on the 1st day of January, costs will
be added to all sums then delinquent, and
I shall proceed under the law, to seize and
sell property for the satisfaction of the
same.
JOS. P. TAYLOR,
dec27td City Collector.

The chances in the raffle for Joe Mc-
Kenzie's eighty acre tract of land in Mis-
sissippi county, having nearly all been
taken, the raffle will take place at the new
Delmonico at 9 o'clock on Friday evening
next. The land lying directly on the line
of the Cairo and Fulton railroad, will, on
the completion of that thoroughfare, be-
come valuable. Furthermore, Old Joe re-
sorts to the raffle as a means of replenish-
ing his depleted purse, and hopes that his
friends will be present at the time and
place above indicated.

All chances unpaid for at the time of
the raffle will be resold. 3t

NEW YEARS gifts of the most appro-
priate character, and in great variety can
be secured at the jewelry establishment of
Messrs. E. & W. Buder, corner of Wash-
ington avenue and Eighth street. Do
you want a fine finger ring, breast pin,
neck or watch chain, gold or silver watch,
bracelet, locket, silver or plated ware, or
any of the thousand and one articles that
go to make up the stock of a first-class
jewelry establishment, go directly to Messrs.
Buder. Nowhere else can you supply
yourself more satisfactorily.

PARSONS.

DAVIS

&c

CO.

IMMENSE STOCK

CHINA DOLLS,
WAX DOLLS,
DISCUT DOLLS,
DRESSED DOLLS,

AND

DOLL HEADS,

ALL SIZES.

ALSO

TOY TEA SETS

OF

CHINA, AND OF
BRITANNIA.

MARBLER, BELLGOWS.

TOYS:

TIN HORNS,
TOY CUPS,
TOY BUCKETS,
TOY WATCHES,

WAX TAPERS

AND

GLASS ORNAMENTS

FOR

CHRISTMAS.

TREES,

PENNY TOYS,

DRUMS.

CHINA VASES,
FRENCH VASES,
SILVERED VASES,
PARIAN VASES,
BOHEMIAN VASES,

FURNITURE SETS,

BAND CHINA

TEA SETS FOR ONLY \$15 00.

FINE AND CHEAP

"WOSTENHOLM"

POCKET CUTLERY.

FEATHER DUSTERS,

FANCY BOXES

AND

TOY BASKETS.

MUGS,

CASTERS,

ETC.,

FOR

CHRISTMAS TRADE

NOS. 14 AND 15,

TENTH STREET ET

CAIRO, ILL.

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THE ATHENAEUM.—There was an over-
flowing house at the Athenaeum last night,
and everybody seemed delighted. White
as Rip Van Winkle was very felicitous,
and Miss Leland as Mrs. Rip and subse-
quently as Mrs. Derrick Van Slaus was
really good, as she is in any part assigned
her. The entire performance passed off
very smoothly, and manifestly, to the de-
light of everybody.

To-night will be presented "Ten Nights
in a Bar room." White sustaining the char-
acter of Sample Switchell; Turner that of
Joe Morgan, the drunkard; Warrell that of
Simon Slade and Bryer that of the philan-
thropic Mr. Pomaine. Mrs. Morgan will
be personated by Miss Leland. The cast
is a strong one, and as the piece is of a
character to bring out the members of the
troupe in the roles in which many of them
excel, we may reasonably expect a first-
class entertainment.

The following synopsis will furnish at
least a partial insight into the varied
scenes of the drama to be presented:

PART I.—**Exterior View** of "Sickle
and Sheaf." Interview between Mr. Ro-
maine and the Yankee Sample's idea of
moderate drinking. Return of the land-
lord. Scene 2: Interior of "Sickle and
Sheaf." Ex-millor and happy landlord.
The young couple. Poor Old Joe Mor-
gan, the inebriate. Little Mary in search
of her father. Departure of the inebriate
and his child. Quarrel between Green
and Willie. Timely arrival of the Yankee.

PART II.—The Yankee and Philan-
thropic. Slade's progress in tavern keep-
ing. Quarrel between the landlord and
his drunken customer. The bottle and the
fatal blow. Arrival of little Mary.
"Father! Father! they have killed me!"
PART III.—The Yankee and the
gambler. Sample's definition of the word
"gentleman." The treat. The Yankee's
desire for Green's happiness. Scene 2:
The drunkard's home. The patient wife
by the side of her suffering child. Joe
Morgan's promise. Mary's anxiety for
her father's good. Frightful delirium of
the poor inebriate. "Come here, dear
father! this is little Mary's room! nothing
can hurt you here." Affected tableau.

PART IV.—The "Sickle and Sheaf."
Sample and the young couple on a time. The
Yankee's story about Uncle Josh and the
poorhouse. The flight and death of Willie
Hammond. Scene 2: Escape of Green.
The arrest. Scene 3: Joe Morgan's
wretched home. The wife and mother
watching by her suffering ones. Little
Mary's advice to her father. Despair of
the inebriate. The child's dream. The
promise. "I'll never drink another drop
of liquor as long as I live." The dying
child. Death of little Mary.

PART V.—The meeting of Sample and
Mr. Romaine, after an absence of five
years. Sample, a teetotaler. His quaint
description of matters and things that have
transpired at Cedarville. Scene 2: Ap-
pearance of Simon Slade. Wonderful
transformation of the once happy miller.
Frank's progress in dram-drinking. The
quarrel between father and son. Death of
Simon Slade. "Frank Slade, you have
murdered your father." Scene 3: The
happy home of Mr. Morgan. Arrival of
Mr. Romaine. The resolution. The wife's
joy. Sample and his new suit.

"A drunkard now no longer—this is clear!"
Free, disenthralled, I stand a man once more!"
Doors open at 7 o'clock. Gentlemen
with ladies should go early and secure good
seats.

The meat market of Gayer & Co., at the
corner of Washington avenue and Tenth
street, is one of "institutions" of the city.
It is not only abundantly supplied with
the best of pork, beef, veal, mutton, lamb,
sausage, etc., but it presents an air of
cleanliness and order that is rarely seen in
establishments of like character.

Gayer & Co. have had many years ex-
perience as butchers, and have long ago
learned that it pays best to keep fine meats
and command first-class custom. For
choice meats, therefore, cut in a neat and
skillful manner, go to "The People's Meat
Market," presided over by Gayer & Co.
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The subscribers for shares in Mr.
Reilly's gift enterprise will be waited on
by Mr. R. as soon as in the course of his
rounds he can reach them. He will start
out to-morrow.

The drawing, in which Mr. Reilly's fine
brick residence is the capital prize, will
take place within the next five or six
weeks. In the mean time those who have
not subscribed for chances can do so on
application to Mr. Reilly.

If the winner of the capital prize is not
"man of family" and does not wish to
occupy it, he can readily convert it into
cash, at a price that will return his money
more than a thousand fold. Parties, in
both town and country, who have sub-
scribed for tickets, are expected to be in
readiness for Mr. Reilly's coming. dec29tf

Of the thousands of persons who make
up the population of our great city, it was
left to little Mamie Foote and Katie
Harrell to think of the wants of poor, old
Han Lee. These little girls went out into
the city, on Christmas (Monday) morning,
and asking here and there for 25 cent do-
nations, gathered in a sum which will add
not a little to the comfort of the poor old
woman and her wretched son. The little
girls found that during all the sharp, frosty
days and nights that preceded Christmas,
old Han had been without fire, and the
miserable supply of bed clothing in the
house was barely sufficient to keep her and
"Bill" from freezing. A portion of Mamie
and Katie's collections, therefore, was ex-
pended for wood, and the balance in such
a manner as to supply the old woman's
other most pressing necessities. In all the
city, on Christmas day, where was charity
more deservedly or unselfishly bestowed?

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five Directors will be held at this Bank,
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Shell oysters received every day at
Louis Herbert.

Messrs. Biggs and Mallory have
a partnership for the transaction of a
passenger agency business in this city, and
are commanding a very extensive patron-
age. Mr. Biggs is an old resident of the
city, and is consequently generally
known. Mr. Mallory was lately en-
gaged in business in Hickman,
Kentucky, and confidently refers to the
business men of that city as to his stand-
ing and business qualifications. He cer-
tainly possesses many of the pre-requisites
to success in his present calling, and will
no doubt win his way into a large and ve-
hope a profitable business.

FIRE THIS MORNING.—Two buildings
burned. About 1 o'clock this morning
the residents of the lower part of the city
were aroused by the clang of bells and the
cry of fire to discover the residences of
Alderman F. Beabell, in flames.

Mr. Theobald informs us that he re-
turned home and retired at about the usual
hour; but was awakened, about 1 o'clock,
by a smoke that was rapidly filling his
room. When he retired he left a fire
burning in his stove, the pipe of which
entered the breast of the chimney. In
the parlor breast of the same chimney
there was a stove pipe, closed by a tin
cap. When Mr. T. opened the parlor
door he discovered the smoke pouring on
the floor. In a moment, however, the flames
filled the room, and spread from one room
to another so rapidly that it was found im-
possible to save any portion of the furni-
ture.

From Mr. Theobald's building the flames
spread to the cottage occupied by Mr.
Black, dealer in boots and shoes, owner of
Commercial avenue and Eighth street.
Friends and neighbors lent willing assist-
ance, and Mr. B. was thus enabled to
save a portion of his household goods,
but everything saved was badly damaged
by the rough and rapid handling.

When the fire companies arrived on the
ground, the fire had completely enveloped
Mr. Theobald's building, and was spread-
ing to that occupied by Mr. Black. It
was not thought possible to save either
building, so the chief energies of the fire-
men were expended in the work of saving
adjoining property, keeping the fire under
subjection as much as possible and fighting
attempted encroachments beyond the limits
of the two buildings directly involved.

The Arabs were the first on the ground,
and threw the first water. The Rough and
Readies and Hibernians were promptly on
hand, however, and did a great deal of
hard and effective service.

Mr. Black's loss will probably reach \$600
or \$800. He was without insurance. The
building he occupied belonged to a non-
resident, who is represented by Mr. C.
Winston, real estate agent. The amount
of insurance on the building we did not
ascertain.

Mr. Theobald's building, which, with
the varied improvements about it, he says
cost him six thousand dollars, was insured
in the State Insurance company, Cleve-
land, Ohio, for \$1,500. On the furniture,
which Mr. T. valued at \$1,000, there was
an insurance of \$500 in the same com-
pany.

Mr. Theobald also lost his own and a
great portion of his wife's wearing apparel
—in fact the building, and everything
therein, with the exception of three chairs,
were entirely destroyed.

Mrs. Theobald is on a visit to her friends
in Wisconsin.

The sufferers have the sympathies of the
community. Their loss is quite severe,
but both of them being gentlemen of great
cooperative energy, in a year or two they
will have quite outlived all traces of it.

The Dollar Store sell goods cheaper than
any other establishment in the city—will
duplicate any bill in its line at from 10
to 50 per centum less than is paid at other
places.

The stock comprises many appropriate
holiday gifts, such as pictures, photograph
albums, vases, etc., goods underwear, hose,
etc., all of which are offered at prices that
defy successful competition.

Call at the old stand of Mrs. Oswald
near the corner of Eighth and Commer-
cial.

Closing Out Sale.

Twenty-five thousand dollars worth of
ready-made clothing, hats, caps, boots,
shoes, trunks and valises are offered for
sale by P. Neff, 79 Ohio Levee, at AC-
TUAL COST PRICES, it being his in-
tention to close out in that line and em-
bark exclusively and more extensively in
the furnishing goods and merchant tail-
oring business.

This closing out sale furnishes an oppor-
tunity to secure clothing cheaper than
ever before offered in this market.
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KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOPLE

That Peter Neff, No. 79 Ohio Levee, is
closing out his large and well selected stock
clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, trunks
and valises, at and

BELOW COST.

It is his purpose to embark more exten-
sively in the merchant tailoring and fur-
nishing goods business—hence the desire
to close out the stock above enumerated.
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Engraving.
Buder Bros. have engaged the services
of a first class engraver during the holi-
days. Parties purchasing goods from the
firm can have them engraved on short
notice in an artistic manner. Call and ex-
amine goods and work. if

—Shell oysters received every day at
Louis Herbert.

COUNTY COURT PROCEED- INGS.

November Special Term, A. D. 1870.
—Hon. F. Brass, Judge, James
and S. Marchildon, Associates.
—Clerk.
Nov. 18th, 1870.

Present.
E. McCrite,
Jacob G. Lyman,
L. H. Myers, Sher.

Friday Morning, 9 o'clock.
Court opened by proclamation.

In pursuance of notice given, sealed
proposals for building a bridge across Sexton
Creek, near Thebes, according to plans
and specifications, were received as fol-
lows, viz:

Of Sumnerwell & Baird..... \$3,875 00
Of Daniel Kelley and Richard Hebbins..... 2,750 00
Of Jas. H. Pichure..... 1,750 00
Of M. T. Holman..... 1,750 00
Of John Starnes..... 1,600 00
Of Geo. W. Hendricks..... 1,600 00
Of E. L. Hunter..... 1,600 00

And the Court having opened and ex-
amined said proposals, and it appearing
that the bid of E. L. Hunter was the low-
est and best the contract was awarded to
him at and for his said bid.

The contract for filling the approach to
said bridge was awarded to him for and
at his bid of 20 cents per cubic yard of
earth.

SECOND DAY.
The Clerk was directed to advertise for
sealed proposals for the following purposes,
to-wit:

For recent interment of each pauper
who may die in Cairo during the year
1871.

For furnishing each coffin.

Bidders to submit their bids for burying
and furnishing coffins separately.